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> REQUEST TO RECONSIDER WITHDRAWAL OF CLAIMS 38-44 AND FINAL REJECTION OF CLAIMS 1-16, 21-29, 36 AND 37

Sir:

Applicant submits the annexed remarks in response to the *Final Rejection* of September 23, 2003. For convenience, a complete listing of pending claims appears beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.